

VERSES VERSUS VIRUS  
May 2020

Jim Leftwich  
John Crouse  
John M. Bennett

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 7, 8:21 PM (9 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

shelter in place

a cat  
is better than a cup  
of coffee better than  
Goya's beans when the morning  
sun is rising softly  
on today's slice  
of in-betweens

may 7 Mogollon Rim AZ

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 11:12 AM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Scatter Apace

Scat nuptials  
Dollop fetter  
Ham demon  
Scorn honey bun  
Christ on toast  
Penis-skein

may 8 Hood Mesa NM

John Bennett  
Fri, May 8, 11:45 AM (8 days ago)  
to John, me

slab o' paint  
femur letter  
mice n' roasted

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 2:50 PM (8 days ago)  
to John

Ceittering

Scattered rituals  
Fillip of Debtors  
Lemonlambcorn  
Boney hunting  
A twist of the  
Coast skinpeen  
Hammmmering

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 3:00 PM (8 days ago)  
to me

Centering

Cratered victuals  
Harelip betters  
Lemon-lime lamb dot com  
Boner shunting  
Grist dove duh  
Roast wimping scant  
Ham hammering ring

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 3:15 PM (8 days ago)  
to John

Ring it for the Gov'nor, boys, Hammer Ring

Later than actual.  
Rosehips unfettered... a  
hole in a bag of chips...  
Catclaws in the night. I  
am that iamb,  
said Sam Lamb. Gov'nor  
don't you hear me?

Hammer ring.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 3:38 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Old Rocky road

Slab of Permian  
Kaibab femur  
Productid to  
Urchin rice  
Mostly  
Cherts &  
brachs

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 3:46 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

At Mollusk Pace

dolomite scats  
bryozoan fodder  
limestone demonium  
limestone dolly  
scorched toner

bunting christ  
oansemux  
pansemic toastface  
Meekela brachiopod  
ballpoint  
pens & sky

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 7:51 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Beck & Caw

Folderol kitkats  
Brylcreem folder  
Hellbent soapstone  
Stoner cabbage patch  
Scotched loner  
(Munching grist) / wrist rocket  
Prussians  
Pansy poptart  
Suckered Bracchs  
Bic n ski.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 11:04 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Neck and Cow

I see naked cows, naked  
chickens. Meow.  
The horoscope, the  
stethoscope. Moonlight  
on the pinecones.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:33 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

### Glow Necklace

Icy nuked rows nuked  
Dickens chow  
the whore's telescope the  
stetson copes oodles  
Man the scones!

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 1:07 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

### Worms & Lace

Chickens on ice  
With the session man  
Rowing chowder  
And periscope noodles

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 2:41 AM (3 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

### Gecko & Grace

Ace cucumberoutes neweled  
endiced howitzers  
the whole elephant therein  
do not think of the whole  
elephant within  
streets of the sun  
and copies to boot  
Main Street  
bollards and cones

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:29 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

### Keystone & Spaceman

Jeweled bandaged face zucchini brute  
Howler monkeys with dice  
Roomy pants ball bearings  
Winking and stolen  
Tweets begun  
And cowpies underfoot  
Rain Feet  
Collars and crimes

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:37 PM (3 days ago)  
to John

ace root  
with ice  
ears  
tolling gums  
thunder  
fleeing  
dimes

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 8:10 PM (3 days ago)  
to me

taste moot  
grift chalice  
beers  
extolling bums  
hunger  
appealing  
grimes

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:30 PM (3 days ago)  
to John

pasty coot adrift. choice  
Is near! role-praying

games! burning the  
handle at both Lungs.  
pea-linger, grim. Grim.

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:52 AM (2 days ago)  
to me

Pastie spot thrift noise  
Is here genuflecting  
Same. Unlearning the  
Candle booth gun  
Peeling rim trim

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:10 PM (2 days ago)  
to JOHN, John

post office no tie thrift  
store attaboy's herein  
the genie reflected in  
a bottle, battlefield  
where the sun plays  
its games. unlearning  
candied handles boot  
to the tooth, kneeling  
like a gum. ripe traps.

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 1:11 PM (19 hours ago)  
to me, JOHN

Letterbox informal expanse  
Liquidate dogmas hereafter  
Beetle blonde resurrected  
Wattle tattletale  
Where the moon don't shine  
All days unspooling  
Bandied Andes loot  
Flew the paste annealing

Humdrum hype perhaps

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 7:49 PM (12 hours ago)

to John, JOHN

congealed hummingbirds

unfettered socks a normal  
expense liquefied magma  
Hereford calf, bustling  
blunderbuss surreptitious  
bottle battle bale where  
the plum brandy moonshine  
tastes like wine where  
ancient all days unschooling  
android bandaids moot

Juniper, Pinyon

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 10:14 PM (3 days ago)

to john, JOHN

Sundown song

javelina  
antelope-goat  
Havasu  
lesser long-nosed bat  
Productid  
parking spot

John Bennett

Thu, May 14, 8:30 AM (2 days ago)

to me, john

dong clot mantid  
fat boat ,stark wave

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 11:16 AM (2 days ago)  
to John, me

bong scat mandible

erratum oat lark grave

John Bennett  
Thu, May 14, 11:30 AM (2 days ago)  
to John, me

long dank crucible  
tear dark slave coat

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 2:10 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, me

Tall dark crucifix  
Endear wank pave tarot

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 2:14 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Swan Bong

vellum  
auntie-boat  
has soup  
kisser wrong posy stat  
pellucid  
barking bot

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:29 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, john

Along allotted Madrid  
the bats float and  
the stars reweave

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:31 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

the song of the bat is malleable,  
unmanageable. error at two,  
an error of thumb. gark, gark  
and lave.

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:35 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

during the lank rune bible  
wear your parking ticket  
like a coat of lava

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:37 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Swim Bing, Swim

veil of lumps  
bloated antiques  
a mask of soul  
a mask of soul  
his pronghorn rosary flat  
his parking tickets  
knot

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 9:50 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

ballpark crucifixions  
underwear spanking  
brave parrots

Watching

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 10:29 PM (4 days ago)

to john, JOHN

Hawk

hovers above  
covers lovers  
Dover books  
forever  
ungovernables  
hovercraft  
Jove  
movers, shakers  
overages  
plovers  
Land Sea & Air Rovers  
stoves  
troves  
woven weaves

John Bennett

Wed, May 13, 9:35 AM (3 days ago)

to me, john

koob  
revo  
dnal  
saes

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:37 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, me

Kaibab kabob ovo end-all says

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 2:59 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, me

voov  
obbo  
ennd  
d

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:58 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

koob! kook! koob  
in a boot! kook  
in a kiosk! koob  
in a book! didn't  
Richard Nixon  
say, I am not a kook?

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 7:17 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

shook in the corn  
shook in the nuts  
shook on the bacon  
shook on the loaf

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 7:35 PM (3 days ago)

to John, john

hoofing it

there's a hook in the norm there's  
a hook in the gut there's a hook  
in the backyard  
there's a hoof on the ghost

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 12:21 AM (2 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

Hawk

glides  
edgewise  
wide stride hides  
abides aside  
pride of tides  
rides  
pisicide  
decides  
guidewires  
edgewise  
glides

John Bennett

Thu, May 14, 8:31 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, john

abide the piss  
beside the hedge

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 7:27 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, john

astride theological pistols  
betide theological edgewise

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:37 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Pedagogy wedges eventide  
Heliotrope tide pool wise acre

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:50 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Travel The Spaceways

Philosophical hedge fund sleeper waves.  
The Heliocentric Worlds of Sun Ra,  
Volumes One and Two (1965 & 1966).  
Pool clues. 640 acres per square mile.

verse vs virus

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:39 AM (4 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

poem versus virus

do you think I think  
a poem is a vaccine?  
no. I know  
that's not what you think.  
what do you think  
I think?

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:53 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

wired foam  
linked dream  
snore slab

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 7:58 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

fiery norm  
dreams of ink  
lab spore

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 11:01 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

born flyer  
thinks & screams  
door's slab

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 8:07 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

thorns & flypaper  
blinking dreams  
every door a lab  
for our blinking  
dreams, dreams

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:28 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

red am  
ink dear  
eros lab

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:29 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

corn pap  
king ear  
very or baa  
forum link  
dear dear

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 1:04 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Red corn  
King Ink  
Very eros  
Eros

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 11:01 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

rink rose barking  
dam, lark or lamp,  
dread  
mink

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 11:03 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

clearly fingered fear  
of baking  
the paper  
fink

John Crouse

Wed, May 13, 1:20 PM (3 days ago)

to me, John

early linger ear

of faking

the pauper

shrink

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 3:34 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

earlier than

the shrinking finger

shaping the ear

to paper

John Crouse

Wed, May 13, 8:02 PM (3 days ago)

to me, John

spurious hand

the sucked thumb

sat on arrears

to clapper

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 9:20 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

sand spurs

numb & tucked

the same cat

the same spear

the same

claquers

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 12:53 AM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

early verse linger virus  
ear vaccine waking  
verse paper virus shrink  
vaccine virus waking  
verse

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 2:16 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Gravel chaps  
Tumble and pluck  
Blame pussy  
Game cheer  
The lame  
Checkers

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:40 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

well, grave perhaps, well.  
rumble and cluck.  
flaming hustle.  
name that beer!  
the leme the lime the lome the lume...  
checkmate, Charlie.

Getting the poem from the news

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 2:26 PM (5 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

The News

Spinach pathway  
Vaccine tandem  
Carbon aquatic  
Torch macroscopic  
Wiggling polymers

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 7:32 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

New Zoo Review

Starsky and Hutch Jamway  
Brenda Vaccaro Diadem  
Bruce Cabot Aquaman  
Larry Storch Longview  
Wiggling polymers

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:25 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Screwdriver Zoom

Stravinsky and Butch  
Cage highway bamboo  
Jamboree at Twin  
Arrows / see how they  
Vacate like dial tones  
Through the Spruce

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 9:16 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

thin lunch  
page crate  
loose cows

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:08 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

hints bunch  
mage rate  
caboose

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:55 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

lunch sink  
late page  
lung's loose

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 8:01 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

munching on a wink  
the fate of the page  
mung beans for the goose

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:56 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

wine lurch  
rage grate  
goose coos

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:58 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

trouncing on tiddlywink  
the skate of the garbage

hunger means forth ego

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 9:33 PM (4 days ago)

to John, John

wich

raate

goooos

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 8:44 AM (3 days ago)

to John, John

punching bag

cut fastball

lateral sinker

paginated lunch poems

longform latecomers

loose leaf

on &

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 12:31 PM (5 days ago)

to JOHN, john

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John Bennett

Mon, May 11, 1:11 PM (5 days ago)

to me, john

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ad

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:23 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, john

if

sun  
deeming  
tooth decay  
Urbantic  
locally grown  
addendum

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 9:19 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

steaming dung  
booth wind  
luggage crown

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:51 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

deeming snug  
aloof unwind  
feeler gauge renown

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 3:55 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

dreaming tongue  
sooth mind  
two crows  
no baggage

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 7:23 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Aiming lozenge  
Forsooth grind  
Tyro rocks  
Stow gaga

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:08 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

A Syllogism Later

Claims to be the hinge of a lizard. Is probably lying.

Grinds four teeth with one jaw. How does he do it?

Throwing rocks.  
Snow.

A gaggle of snowflakes.

batch

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 10:01 AM (4 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

clutch patch

batch  
fetch  
itch  
blotch  
clutch  
hatch  
retch  
switch  
botch  
hutch  
catch  
vetch  
pitch  
scotch  
clutch  
patch  
vetch  
witch  
notch  
clutch

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:49 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

lost  
list  
crick  
crack

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 7:54 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

lust twist  
rickety  
track

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:56 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

sack  
stick  
piss  
dust

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 8:03 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

crackle of dawn  
tickled purple  
pass the salt  
crust must rust

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:14 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Clutch Patch

Batch clutch, fetch notch itch. Witch.  
Blotch vetch clutch. Patch hatch, clutch  
retch scotch. Switch plith. Botch vetch,  
hutch catch.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 6:56 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Cats Bat

Bats clatter, clutter fat  
Knots. Winch bench  
Hence sense. Since  
Luck pluck hot clot.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 8:07 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Batcat radicand

Baccarat sherbets, recluse spat  
Bots. Cinquefoil monkey wrench  
Drench pretense. Wince  
Talc taco culpable cluck.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:47 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Bandied at radix &

Back car at rat.  
She her bets it,  
Wreck loose  
Patter, blots.  
Blots.

Cakewalk into town

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 2:33 PM (5 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

Baby wipes & bottled water

Stationary  
Office Supplies

Household Chemicals

Babies

Shoes

Ammo

Meth Lab

Camouflage

Enormous Flags

Photo

Toys

Auto

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 5:51 PM (5 days ago)

to me, JOHN

Lazy days and sundays

Proportionally

Thumbtacks

Tournaments

Geriatrics

Foosballs

Gramophone

Breath flab

Capricorn

Ear worms gigs

Proto

Boys

Motto

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 10:31 PM (5 days ago)

to John, JOHN

Someday, Baby

Portholes

Tackle box

Turnstiles

Gerrymandering

Foolsgold

Dictaphone

Exit plan

Deep capture

Early American Norms

John Bennett

Tue, May 12, 9:15 AM (4 days ago)

to me, john

lodo boys

thigh orifice

label bags

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 10:07 AM (4 days ago)

to John, john

mode of joy

thy office

able tags

John Bennett

Tue, May 12, 10:54 AM (4 days ago)

to me, john

toy sky

table bag

high lice

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 7:59 AM (4 days ago)

to John, john

toils the sky

fables of bats

try twice

John Bennett

Tue, May 12, 11:01 AM (4 days ago)

to me, john

why boils  
shat the table's  
dry mice

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 8:09 AM (4 days ago)

to John, john

tin foil on the sly  
my bible for a hat  
nice tryst

John Crouse

Tue, May 12, 11:38 AM (4 days ago)

to me, JOHN

Ship Coming In

Ortho  
Crackle moxie  
Turnkey

Ferryman laundering

Pie write

Dicked phonics

Texan elan

Beep vulture

Girly Native American moms

John Crouse

Tue, May 12, 11:41 AM (4 days ago)

to John, me

lots of twirls  
high offices  
labia swags

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:46 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

geode to deploy  
thyme suffice  
elbow spats

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:47 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

rye royal  
phat unstable  
try lice

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:20 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

My loyal  
Phantom understandably  
Trilling dice

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:22 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

The Road to Detroit  
The same suffix  
Our fellow patriots

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:24 PM (4 days ago)

to John, John

Loaf of whirls  
Sighing Pisces  
aleph, cogs

Fire extinguisher blues

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 12:08 AM (7 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Vegas back to normal

rope dancing burning  
coals fire drill drill  
argent / coal dirtier  
than the atom / Adam  
half-naked, asymptomatic  
...coats turning  
turdcoats rancid dope  
dice no dice dice  
no dice in the fire

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 9:02 AM (7 days ago)  
to me, john

groped and leaning  
bored and still  
shirted and flaked  
y él la nada no dice

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 9:27 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Vargas shack immemorial

Dope churn  
Gored instill  
Sergeant canary  
Snake eyes eve  
Nothing grope pyre

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:09 PM (7 days ago)  
plums in a barrow grokked & brebeaning  
preboreal andstilt-borne-- My shirt for  
a lake! no potato on the nose.

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:15 PM (7 days ago)  
to John

drive, he sad

copious saw  
tooth  
burning red  
pillage and  
slurring the  
gent / the  
gentleman's  
game of  
striped poker  
A Snake On  
Every Thigh  
cleaving the  
soap  
from the fire

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:45 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

connive, speed allege

pious raw  
spoof  
churning bled  
spillage gland  
purring twee  
genital / knee  
cattleman's  
shame of  
tripped spelunker  
A shoe-shake on  
Verily Tiger  
weaving spa  
gropes  
thrum the inspire

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 2:35 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

beehive, speaking of legs

thaw pie, us poof  
on a roof, yearning  
for blad, for blid  
blod and blud. pie  
not note knot us.  
grilling sand and  
touring green  
initials are free.  
burning bright,  
in the clunky  
shoes of the night.

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:42 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

slaw lake  
glue fur

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 3:56 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Coleslaw Believes Barking Chiggers

hair pie us pouf glue for  
Piebald roof burn  
Stilling elan on notice  
Green pour specialty

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 4:58 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

realty

paired eyes goof pleroma.  
paired eyes. bold as  
a pie tooth urn. a pie tooth  
urn. grilled flange on ice.  
grilled flange. preen sour  
eggs and realty. eggs and

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 5:33 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Penalty

Yugoslavia prehensile  
Somedays truth-on-ice  
Feeling the full feeling  
Lungfish in the ice box  
Frank Langella sour  
Hoof. Eggs-to-dermis.

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 6:35 PM (7 days ago)

to John, John

Alternative Probiotics

Ego is prehistoric saliva.  
Parrotfish set fires. For  
The first time in my life  
The future is in furniture.  
Somedays are ruthless,  
Somedays are Nice. We  
Linger in the Fling of  
Felt experience. White  
Socks or Red Sox? Frank  
Zappa or Frank Sinatra?  
Flour soup on the hoot.

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 7:10 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Devo Tics

Spits what we want  
Mimic you make me hot  
Starting line starting line  
Starting line starting line  
Toothless are fun days  
Rayguns, gerunds, n spice  
Trigger in twinge, twinge  
In trigger. Sting of pelt  
Exuberance. "We linger in  
The cling of felt experience"!!  
Green Chile or red as the  
Answer. How hadnt Frank cancel/celebrate  
Frank? Hoot, hell yes  
the flower soot, the

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 8:56 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

## Teeming Votes

Split the stick  
to find the  
plot. .  
.ocelot, the  
line-up,  
star-grazing  
the sting of  
toreados: I  
saw Chile  
Davis roaming  
the plains of  
Candlestick  
Park. we  
felt the red  
haddock  
marching  
in our boots.

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 12:41 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

## Toehold Cove

Circe in a slanted hat.  
All week. Mimeo  
Revolution a while  
Back and ongoing.  
Starling wine, starling  
Wine. Teeth falling  
Out one after another,  
No new teeth under  
The Sun. Twice the  
Slice to figure in place.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 3:00 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

## Dreamboat

Lickety spit  
Park rind  
Potty. .  
.cello alot, duh  
Spine-pup,  
Car-grassland  
Tortilla: sky  
Caw chilly  
Aviso homing  
Pains of  
Handlebar  
Ark. Knee  
Dealt draw dread  
Cross walk  
Arching  
Hen dour cheroots

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 5:00 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Rote dreams of oatmeal

a picket fence  
& a parking ticket  
rotting  
in the polkadot  
sun

duh pupfish  
duh carpet bomb  
duh ass of spades  
duh tort  
reform pillow  
of Godzilla

skylight  
clawbook  
hills of  
Chicago

I don't know  
Homecoming pigeon  
Paint it black  
Hand it over  
Arch insoles  
Of the sea

peat thawing  
bread repeat

crosstown raffle  
parched hints

sour cheese  
in cahoots

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 11:57 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Tarot Cornmeal

Granny-print take your pick, dumb fish,  
Dumb aces carpeted carport, Mel Torme  
Willow book torn hills at get-go. Shy city of blow  
Unknown ring-necked ingrown Painted & Handed & Arched & Of  
Black Over Insoles Sea.

Peated thaw repeating bread hints crosstown raffle's parched.

Tower chessmen & yes men  
Bland wind loots.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:35 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

lump power  
soot core  
jaw leaf

sneeze lint

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 8:57 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

loot sump pump pores.  
power is raw,  
like a thief. squeeze  
into a pint.

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:08 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Tao Rotting Mealplan

Granted, pickle fishing thumb.  
You got to face the carrot.  
Then, when the stick,  
Ring-tailed, panting handles.  
Well, I think you get the picture.  
Pleated squirrel, squunta,  
Squints, marching  
Axross the chessboard.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:25 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Poor clump clump loot,  
Whose power is saw,  
Hike a beef. Knees  
Knocking Ignite.

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:29 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

A Lump of Time

A clock  
is still  
a clock

even  
late at  
night.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:45 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

A Chump Like Mine

O'clock's O'clock's Event Lathe, Right?

On Sun, May 10, 2020, 7:30 PM Jim Leftwich wrote:  
A Lump of Time

A clock  
is still  
A clock

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:01 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Evening

Later than even.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:10 AM (5 days ago)

to me, John

Sevening

Greater than eleven.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 12:25 AM (5 days ago)

to John, John

Mourning In America

Craps

behind the convenience  
store.

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 2:05 AM (5 days ago)

to me, John

Adorning Miracle

Assless chaps

Convenient backslide

Galore

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 2:18 AM (5 days ago)

to John, John

Adjourn My Acres

Grasslands chapter

Asserts / coin, vein,

Ambient snacker's

Guide / hard chord

John Bennett

Mon, May 11, 9:04 AM (5 days ago)

to me, John

groin glass  
snore borne  
slaps door

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 12:34 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Roan sag  
Ornery borealis  
Ardor claps

John Bennett

Mon, May 11, 1:12 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

torn bag  
binary mortar  
slaps door

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 1:42 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Tornado Rag

doin that Tornado Rag  
10 laps around the door  
Doing the tornado rag

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 7:11 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Torn again  
Nary tartar  
Laps odor

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 11:06 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

normal grain  
navel tar  
lopes open  
door

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:35 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

abnormal again  
nevus scar  
taupes copen  
bore

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:17 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Bore

Aorta  
Borealis  
Cortisone  
Doorknob  
Either  
Fortune  
Gore  
Hoarse  
Kore  
Lore  
Morsel  
Nor  
Oriented  
Pour  
Roar

Soaring  
Toreados  
Warthog  
Yore  
Zoro

DMV closed? Post Office closed?

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 7, 9:01 PM (9 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Paint what you see, write what you know

Kaibab limestone  
salt lip & green beard  
aeolian eartones soundheap  
the Toroweap fou mound diction  
quartz basalt & sandstone  
fantastic fan in a camper van  
nose rimes with tows &  
toes rhymes with knows  
when you walk in the dark  
walk with your feet

May 7 Mogollon Rim

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 11:23 AM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Panting Pulsate, writhe abut elbow

Bone slab lodestone  
fault ship & hang ten  
jelly flesh megaphone  
fictive weeping abound  
rats exalt nose cone  
spastic man in pampas  
chose climes beef slows &

flows chimes belief suppose  
walking in light  
with lantern

John Bennett  
Fri, May 8, 11:43 AM (8 days ago)  
to John, me

coughing in blight  
sought fat feet  
frictive sleeping sound

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 2:42 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, John

Hinge of light  
Brought on  
By a flat tire  
In a dixruob  
A dixuru In a  
Dixt A Fiction  
Creeping around  
Like a serpent  
Around a  
Serpent Mound

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 2:55 PM (8 days ago)  
to me, John

Heads of state  
Bought into  
Dead-in-the-water  
Dixie rub betwixt fiction  
Ping pong surround sound  
Spike hellbent  
Gerund ah

Penthouse sire pound

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 8, 3:05 PM (8 days ago)

to John, John

chords loosed

breads unbaked

unsoyggt Shinto lean-to

wading in the batter

like batteries in the

butter like hot

buttered rum

p hot buttered so

ul / lean-to.m-om,oon

John Bennett

Fri, May 8, 7:24 PM (8 days ago)

to me, John

utter slot thrills

blades bread snot

atta spoon!

John Crouse

Fri, May 8, 8:04 PM (8 days ago)

to John, me

Udder slit trills

Euphrates instead clots

Slotted poons.

John Bennett

Fri, May 8, 8:07 PM (8 days ago)

to John, me

fluttered spit

spills moon

sots n' clods

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 8, 9:50 PM (8 days ago)

to John, John

I am enlightened

stuttering  
littoral lottery  
literature while  
snorting the light  
from a  
Lucilight bag

John Bennett

Sat, May 9, 8:59 AM (7 days ago)

to me, John

I am tightened and cluttered  
sotted and short  
dung in a flying rag

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 9:22 AM (7 days ago)

to John, me

Hymen tight end  
Clitoris pottery  
Clotted structure  
Rung a crying jag

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 12:57 PM (7 days ago)

to John

Snoots & Bladders

I am lightning in

a chute of  
ladders  
letters in tatters  
shortselling  
aborted tonguespin  
crying jetlag to the  
barfbag

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:03 PM (7 days ago)  
to John

Tintern Cabbage

Hyphenated endtables  
Coral mantis -----  
potable, like tears ---  
The future is a plot...  
    a tongue  
hanging from the sun

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:39 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Tintype Scabbard

Truncated endgames  
Moral panties -----  
Pothole, trike gears ---  
The past is a knot...  
    a sponge  
changing on the run

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 2:24 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

a morsel of soul

trunk leaving gerund gains  
a morsel of ants, a portal  
to the sole, a tryst of ears.  
the past is a clot of Ponge,  
taking the side of ruins.

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:41 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

lunge hanging lunch  
potzerbie portal glance

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:47 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

junk stance  
pissed plunge

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:40 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

slim dank

language-plunge  
posterized slants  
askance the dance

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 4:13 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

kronk-stain  
expunger mist

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 4:15 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

slam dunk

magic-chevy  
saints-poseurs  
prance-the-cancel

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 4:50 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

lamp punk

pink limp  
caged grease leveraged  
slants olde possume trance  
upon the carousel

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 5:25 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Ample spelunker

Pink slip  
Animal toon mineral  
Canticle code the party dress  
Pontoon tune carouses

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 6:22 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

lunar apple speech

sinking sheep big  
horn heap of sun  
kings by the law

n's eerie Lighghg  
ht, anima/animus  
spoonmining feral  
pigs, chanticleer  
codex ---- partials  
rising / pontificates  
a carpet of runes

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 6:35 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Columnar grapple peach

King hep bi  
Corn pepper begun  
Dingaling buy pawpaw  
Cherry lawn lightning  
Amoeba spoon tame  
Sprig chanteuse  
Kodak arterial  
Surprising punctuation  
Parapet loves dunes

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 8:31 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Biking On Kelp

horn-keeper beacon  
beckoning sleeper  
horse / horde / dialing  
guidewires seesaw  
of course / off chords  
we see very brawny  
light-tttt-sabers Aurora  
Borealis detuned, a wig  
in flames, unpunctuated

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 12:52 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

the plural rural

thunder spilt thrilling  
silt. highway eupsyhic  
strata embedded cikr,  
colt of lightning, the  
city is slicker than the  
country singer. tongs  
& tweezers, spatulae.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 3:09 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Bilking on whelp

Porn sneaker bacon  
Reckoning leper  
Norse gourd entralling  
High wire rickshaw  
Off course accords  
Hayseed bonny  
Roaring light year dagger  
Vangelis denatured swig  
Tin lame, punctual

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 5:08 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Banking on it, and it

Porj-veek bastion.  
Beckons King Leap.  
Horse-guard cattle  
Guard bowling ink.  
Porjveejk basilisk.

In the evening, when  
The sun goes down.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 12:03 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Bet on it (thank tank)

Porridge-seek, bastard,  
Recon Fling Leper, lip yr  
Pony-forward kettle,  
Center-bawling wink.  
Porcine wassail while  
Eventide Fen, the clown,  
goes down on the sun.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:37 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

rattling sink  
flip off clown  
check lard in gun

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:12 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Rattlesnake / pink  
Lips / wrexkle-ing,  
Wreckless  
-- like a bard  
----- in the sun

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:16 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Button the flank

Pour it in the sink,  
Baste and stir.  
Still no baseball.  
Sir Plenty Splinters  
Pigwashing  
The Tides of Zen.

John Crouse

Sun, May 10, 9:37 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Shut-In Clank

Adorned to the rink waste bestie.  
Pill-popper pall. Lady Leaden Slippers  
Porkbarreling Chides Brazen.

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 11:57 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Crut & Slank

.pre  
Dicting the  
. future.,  
Is Touu,  
too toufh.  
Tuff. Remember  
the psychosemiotics  
of everyday  
life? I'll stick to  
predicting  
the present.

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 12:07 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

## Bedknobs & Me

.twee  
Pectin claw  
. Suture,  
Hiss tofu  
Blue tough  
Huff. Dismember  
Blah physiobiotics  
Love everyman payday  
Knife? I'll present to  
Sticking  
The predict

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:36 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

At poetics

between, well yes, this  
& that, along with the  
rest of them, being  
generous, is a poem,  
who has to say, the  
hour is getting late.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 2:17 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

@ Macrobiotics

Tween dwell that  
A longer rest onerous  
As a moment is a poem  
Saying what it wants

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 2:33 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

### Our Biological Mackerel

the twine-dweller's hat.  
hat. the  
stronger the  
crest once nervous.  
once,  
and only once. hat.  
the wine-shelter's hat.

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:06 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

sheen smell  
hot slat  
kite loaf

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:43 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

### Our American Century

Egghead-about-town's  
Thinking cap misfits  
Renown huger hunger crown  
Misfires.

Best impervious chest of service.

Once upon a times  
Sheltered in place  
In all caps.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:46 PM (5 days ago)

to John, me

Tell that bloke "sheet blots spite"

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 12:48 PM (5 days ago)

to John, John

skin melts

later than

thought

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 12:56 PM (5 days ago)

to John, John

A Miracle Century

The shinbone's  
connected to  
the boneset.

The egg yolk's  
connected to  
the nor folk.

The noun tongue's  
connected to  
the glue gun.

Southeast of Service Creek.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 1:03 PM (5 days ago)

to John, John

5 dollars a day

but goddam, man, it  
doesn't make any

sense! have you  
seenTheLiGHT? make  
any more  
I might move away

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:15 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

just as swell  
nor thought too much  
take a lungish hike

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 3:39 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Pell mell justice  
than think alike  
fake it, rakish like

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 3:45 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Daily Hive of Hollers

Yardarm tamarisk gendarme  
A votive of high-risking it  
Non-popsicle & Sprite  
Move, motive, and stay

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 3:50 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Peeling melted Jesus  
From the think tank  
From the drunk tank

Take it  
Or believe it

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 4:00 PM (5 days ago)  
to John

Day-jobs of Eliot's Hollow Men During The Age of Anxiety

Yardworker  
Timing-belt repairman  
Endgame referee  
Vote-Suppressor  
Highwire riddler  
Non-aligned statesman  
Spiritual misleader  
Moving-van driver  
Votive candle snuffer  
Stay-at-home husband

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:29 AM (4 days ago)  
to me

Fellates-month-as-Age-as-cruel-conflates

Rung aground timberman  
Alternating repoman  
Beckett lineman  
Tongue compressor  
Choir tattler  
Nun-alliance bondsmen  
Spurious tweeter  
Moving-mountain conniver  
Motive handle bluffer  
Suede-at-poem husbandry

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 12:59 PM (4 days ago)  
to John

Mouthing Page

Wrangle Natty kit,  
Glue a chair to your nun.  
Write a poem  
about spurious moving  
Motive Suede.

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Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 11:58 AM (5 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

now

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John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:06 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, john

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On Mon, May 11, 2020 at 11:59 AM Jim Leftwich wrote:  
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Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 1:15 PM (5 days ago)

to John, john

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John Bennett

Mon, May 11, 1:17 PM (5 days ago)

to me, john

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Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 3:28 PM (5 days ago)

to John, john

One

sortilege

dendrites

Bukowski

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 7:53 PM (5 days ago)

to me, John

Pone

Tortilla ledge

Bright dander  
Kawasaki

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 7:55 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

None

Eunich  
Tad

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:56 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Phoneme

Exhorts ledger  
Wedge exhausts  
Their right front  
Fender, Saturday  
Night

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:58 PM (5 days ago)  
to John

Meet The Press

Tuna fish, sad.

perspire elective

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:11 PM (5 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

cubic dog

dog novel fog  
cereal corona foggy  
real virus defogger

real fog novel  
cereal foggy virus  
dog defogger corona

virus cereal fog  
dog corona real  
defogger foggy novel

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:08 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, john

bog oval drowned  
clown navel bog  
serial bog circus

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:17 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, john

bevel log crowned  
lawn mower navy

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:18 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, john

swiveled dog frown  
yawn sweaty dollar

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 1:26 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, john

five dog dawn  
no sweatlodge

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 2:20 PM (5 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

climate charge

dog cereal real real  
cereal dog virus dog  
defogger foggy  
corona cereal  
defogger foggy fog  
virus corona novel  
fog foggy defogger  
novel virus corona  
fog real novel

Libraries closed?

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 1:03 PM (8 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

un unnu nuun nu

God's butlers  
working the 2nd shift  
wearing bad suits  
letting us out  
letting us back in  
we are in aw  
wwwvvvvvvvvvvvv  
e  
They are walking home  
alone after midnight

through the empty  
streets of Plague

May 8 Mogollon Rim

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 2:29 PM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Bod's gutters  
twerking the sucking shit  
shearing rad sluts  
petting as grout  
vetting adze bacteria  
we are urine  
endeavor clocking tome  
cologne in something airtight  
drew the scruffy  
skeets of vogue.

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 2:56 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

bodyshutters  
working  
like an  
untucked shirt

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 3:06 PM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Spilt

Libraries clothed --  
hood mesa nm;  
nut butters an:  
untickled quirt?

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 3:20 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Take out your false  
Teeth, Mama, and  
Ride your OHV  
Over the cliff  
Into Fossil Creek.

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 5:28 PM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Cheek into spliff runneth over  
Beneath Gramma's hand  
Chide your covid  
Andover Greek  
Shinto muscle shoals.

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 5:47 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

eat your vowels

speak into the punning giet.  
the diet of gifts.  
in a breath of feathered  
grammar I will take my stand.  
hidden in a covert pinto  
bean, the Kabbalists say  
the spirit hides in the body  
like vowels in consonants.

John Bennett  
Fri, May 8, 7:28 PM (8 days ago)  
to me, John

uh uh din vert

lilt spurt consort  
spills yr bowels  
yr bowls yr ccccloudddsssss

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 8:09 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, me

Ambivert

Spilt purloined consort blurts  
Trills yore scowls  
Pure knolls spur  
[Cc fd ss]

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 10:01 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, John

Spurts Pure Gnolledge

spitting the parsed purse  
coin snorts leeching lurch  
speeching lunch  
free will to the core  
bowling owls bowling most  
fowl boiling bowls boll  
weevils & jowls oiling  
our moral coils

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 9:06 AM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

purse lurch  
lunch core  
most boil  
oiling coils

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 9:33 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Splitting hares cursive  
Striking awls most  
Unveiling jewels  
Coral embroils

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:24 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

dysraphic ballad

perched loose &  
munching ore  
foil the ghost  
with fractal coasts

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:50 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Disglyph Wallwad

lurch goose &  
munchkin lore  
sheet the casserole  
costs fracking tiff

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:44 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

plinth loose  
snore lists

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:16 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Wayward Petroglyphs & Lynxhfount

Lunchcounterpunching  
Moosehead Luke  
With his feet in a fumerole  
Still kicking at the goads

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 4:02 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Pinch lynx waterspout

Elk puke country  
kitchen toad gospel  
bass over teakettle  
gondolas ill-licking

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 5:18 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Spouting David Lynch

Pelt rebuke for your  
Country your family  
Your extended  
Family, all 7.7 billion  
Of them. Pelt lichen  
Road spell of goose  
And class action tea  
Partying like it's 1699.  
Pelt grandfather's  
Clocchet,  
Flickering to kill.

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 5:52 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Sputnik Gravid Cinch

Burqua welt foursquare  
Paltry dour smiley  
Pour pretended  
Sacristy, pall leaven heaven chillin  
Dove gem. Smelt like em  
Maestro knell love juice  
Demand classic traction team  
Part ying kite writs 9619.  
Dwelt rubberband rather  
Free market,  
Wicker kippering to krill.

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 6:55 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Sputtering with The Grave Witch

Bursting norms felt they  
Were L7. Salty, and sour  
With mileage. Our tendons  
Are sacred, like the small  
Leaves of Heaven. Willing  
Gloves in a dream.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:29 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

swarms left silage  
blender swill and cloud

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 1:38 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

An oddity of political aerodynamics

The left wing of the business  
Party is always just slightly  
Warmer than the right wing.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 1:45 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Weed Eater

As over-reach is underarm  
Partly taken lightly Disarming  
Since feeling is first thing.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 2:13 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

speed farm dripping

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:18 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

feedlots  
swarming  
ripples

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:25 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Seeds of Beat

I hover  
over the beach  
like  
a dream of thunder.  
Wind  
is only partially  
baked lightning.  
Let's disarm  
the government,  
first thing in the morning,  
since  
we are  
young and feeling no thirst.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:38 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Polyglots  
Farming  
Nipples

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:00 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Paul is a goth,  
swarming  
with shiiiiiiips.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:09 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Igloo moth hive chips.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:30 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Mothhlight

In my opinion  
Eye-glue  
One mouth  
Per month &  
The Five of  
Hips, There  
You have it.

John Crouse

Mon, May 11, 2:10 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Flacklight

Rack and pinion  
Flugelhorn  
Uncouth  
Purr muff  
The Hive of  
Quips, Compare  
You shove it.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 2:27 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Flesh-Light Ning

Between a rock and  
an onion  
Flogging the corm  
Flagging the couch  
Slur their curved  
mufflers  
Giving them  
the 5-slip  
Comp-pay if you dare

Stay true  
to your shovel

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:05 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

shit sock  
shit glove  
shit lips

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:36 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Knit socks  
Unfit glove  
Split lips

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:12 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

spit rocks  
shove flit  
dip shit

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:50 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Lipst Poem

Flip ant  
Flip switch  
Flip aunt  
Flip pant  
Flip pants  
Flip off

Flu bitch  
Flipper  
Flipper  
Per suit  
Zipper  
Upper  
Lipsynch  
Fire ants  
Anti  
Slippage

Are poems edible?

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 2:16 AM (8 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Pigweed, little hogweed, fatweed & pusley

tepary beans  
salsify  
purslane yampah.

cattails hackberry  
chenopodiums  
bistort.

wolfberry goosefoot.  
beebalm nopales.

May 7 Mogollon Rim

John Bennett  
Fri, May 8, 9:10 AM (8 days ago)

nopalitos en la cara  
comida cacañido  
espinas lamidas

John Crouse  
Fri, May 8, 11:30 AM (8 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Obese Oink

satisfy yearns  
hens topiary  
oomph ursine

tedium cherry  
scale distortion  
chemo banquet

canine camel toe  
pales in psalms

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 1:30 PM (8 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Curves & Washboard Dirt

pacify urns Grecian  
tapioca, tapioca at  
70 miles an hour,  
curves unseen. curves

unseen medium  
chervil, kale is a  
disproportionate  
response. quonset

emotive bandits  
cannot melt our  
shoes like whales

in the palm of  
an unwashed

hand.

John Bennett

Fri, May 8, 7:33 PM (8 days ago)

to me, John

sour jails

calm pails

glue felt

turn gland

John Crouse

Fri, May 8, 8:13 PM (8 days ago)

to John, me

Jail bower

Palm nails

Gifelte too

Urn and

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 8, 10:07 PM (8 days ago)

to John

bluetoeglue

slew kerning

lampblue

lanqblue

lardblue

labblue

galeforce

melting

the mailbox

John Bennett

Sat, May 9, 9:04 AM (7 days ago)

to John, me

nail blower  
jail calm  
hand burn

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 9:30 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Are friable roams  
Jailbait clam chowder  
Whale bomb  
Hamburger urn?

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:19 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

heroic couplings

plywood foaming homes  
fishlamp baiting howlers

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:48 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

cupidity zero

applique rabies chromes  
tit clamp ingrate bowler

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 2:41 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

a cup of double eros

antique babies free range  
roaming chromatic

entitlements like lamps  
as stated in Howl  
and Other Poems  
holy holy holy holy holy

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:47 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

cramps trouble  
oily sneeze

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:43 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

double the lamp  
and boil the knees

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 4:20 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

A Couple Double Dongs

critique freebase microwave  
auto-erotic gloaming  
breasts like clamps?  
(invest like a champ/listen like thieves)  
Escalated in bowel  
(smothers palms/screeds)  
wholly moldy mollycoddle if only

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 5:53 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Fong, The Explorer

cricket baselines micro  
dotted line autocontextual  
autogenes antic frieze  
anti anti / goats mingle  
with their Eastern Lamps.

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 6:05 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Prong the expedition

Pickling waistline macro  
Dotty anticline continental  
Dream of Jeannie Diogenes  
Horny Prestone / stoats jiggle  
Conical hair Western Gramps.

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 7:30 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Three-pronged Petition

wicking  
macaroni  
dill pickle

portapotty  
climate changeling  
Coconino

a  
dream of  
Dionysian  
beans

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 2:43 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Petty trident

Weakling

Pepperoni

Shrill icicle

Port of cauldron

Beam me up scotty

Coco pebbles

A

Cream of

Donnie and marie

Keens

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 4:41 AM (6 days ago)

to John, John

Jetty in Triplicate

speaking

a posteriori

to the pill circle

a cautionary position

between meat

and toilet paper

a stream of

dotted eyes

& marquee

spleens

John Crouse

Sun, May 10, 9:04 AM (6 days ago)

to me, John

Petty in triplane

Eeking  
After  
Swill

Post  
Greet  
Sublet

Steam  
Dote  
Monkey  
Beans

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:34 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

stroke beams  
clotty thighs  
junk feet

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 8:35 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Putty Is Triangular

Heat-seeking  
Afterimage  
Swift  
As a Boat

Poets are  
Sweetly  
Subletteral

Dreamcoat  
Monetized  
Beatdream

The new vision

Now and next  
The new version

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:22 PM (6 days ago)  
to me

Trafalgar Pudding

Cheatsing  
Rafter rimmer  
Miffed as boat  
Poets are sheik-ly  
Jugular...mean cat honey,  
At Inca's cat. Chips  
Grieve sound and vision

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:37 PM (6 days ago)  
to John

Trial by wadded padding

Heatsinging  
Rat-fur trimmer

Tremor Tremor

The muffled poets  
Are irregular,  
Like a sieve

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:50 PM (6 days ago)  
to me

Mistrial by dadded wattles

Keet Seel ceiling

Grimmer shimmer afro

Either Either

Truffles totes  
D'artagnan,  
Nike to Kiev

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:06 AM (5 days ago)  
to John

Ah, waffles in a mist

skeet-yield  
shines like  
grime.

...the  
crimes of Ether.

On.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:13 AM (5 days ago)  
to me

Bah, wobbles insist

Tweet real!  
Brines like  
Shame...  
The mimes either.  
Or.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:23 AM (5 days ago)  
to John

Bauble & Cyst

Tweezers are real.  
Brains Luke Slime.  
Ten minutes to two!  
Two minutes to midnight.  
Four of them.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 2:03 AM (5 days ago)  
to me

Grist & Clout

Wheezers heel  
Raisin Fluke Lime  
10 minus 2 minus  
2 plus 12 plus 12

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 2:11 AM (5 days ago)  
to John

Girl scout cookies unfair to Kierkegaard

The geezers peel  
and the X-ray  
cucumbers rhyme

Tin sinus minus  
the tooth-sinus

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 8:59 AM (5 days ago)  
to me

World pout rookies underwear to Albuquerque

Grazers kneel  
Inspections  
Encumbers time

Win minus sinus  
the spoof minus  
minus

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:02 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

steam feet cloud  
the boat is angry

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:31 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Treaty cream McCloud  
Indie that could

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:10 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

seat plot dream  
loud undies shat

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:37 PM (5 days ago)  
to John

Wordsnout

Razors to peel  
the Inspectors.  
Members,  
get in line.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 1:39 PM (5 days ago)  
to John

Traditions

cream of beet  
and  
coat of bang

As is

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:18 PM (4 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Is

ls  
t  
hat  
a poe  
m?  
Depends on who you ask.  
How  
A  
Bout  
Th  
is?

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 9:33 AM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

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Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 2:23 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

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ut a  
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was

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 2:57 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

saw  
nut  
nar

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:53 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

thawed guts,  
narrowly

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 7:15 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

raw putz  
and arrows  
slow hand  
mute slaw

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 7:30 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

pawing a rut not  
really or so what  
where the arrows are narrow

and the snow is so bland  
don't shoot  
and don't claw  
is the law of the paw

John Bennett  
Thu, May 14, 8:26 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, john

gut rot slaw  
sandy marrow  
squealing boot!

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:55 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

As natural  
As twas

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:16 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, john

but plot gnaw handy  
sparrows meal of  
loot, meal of loot.

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:17 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Ask nature  
Also ask Santa Claus

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 1:13 PM (19 hours ago)  
to me, John

Act natural  
Also ran because

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 7:52 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

nurture

facts  
like lots of  
allergens  
drifting over  
the western  
lands

mapping tomorrow

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 6:03 PM (3 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

keeping track of time

three hundred west to eighty  
seven south to two sixty  
northeast to three hundred  
southeast mesa by the rim

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 7:24 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

blundered guest tree  
mighty heaven's mouth  
lung and meat  
on the table

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 8:10 PM (3 days ago)

to John, john

blinkered under  
a gust of trees  
heaven just  
south of midnight  
I put my  
tongue on my  
feet and the  
bread on the table

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 10:57 PM (3 days ago)

to john, JOHN

three seven northeast  
southeast hundred south  
to mesa west  
to three by two  
to sixty hundred rim

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 11:02 PM (3 days ago)

to john, JOHN

three southeast to two too  
seven hundred mesa three  
sixty northeast  
to hundred west  
by hundred south to rim

John Bennett

Thu, May 14, 8:29 AM (2 days ago)

to me, john

flee yr lung  
fix yr feet  
even yr thin mouth

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 11:14 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Leaping rack of lamb

rim three the west, by to mesa eighty.  
southeast seven hundred south, three to  
to two. northeast sixty.

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:17 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, john

free your lungs and  
your feet will follow

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 1:18 PM (19 hours ago)  
to me, John

Expunge your tongue and  
Feel the hollow  
After the thin man

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 7:54 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

renewable energies

all tongues are sponges  
except for the hollow feet  
which are wind machines

## San Francisco Speaks

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 6:40 AM (7 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Dook'o'oosliid

Stand in the ruins  
Of the Twin  
Arrows gas  
Station and look  
Northwest  
Towards the snow  
Covered peak.  
That's where I  
Found this poem.

John Bennett

Sat, May 9, 9:09 AM (7 days ago)  
to me, john

stand of arrows  
station north  
towards covered found

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 9:45 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Dork-slid

Candy sparrow  
Hand-in-urine  
Zebra ice citation  
Marrow's sass  
Conestoga pound

North by peeking  
Cold ground ode

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 2:14 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, john

Jumprope With Godard

What brand of cow has  
a play station in each  
mouth? Swords are  
verbs, you can tell by  
their sound.

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:46 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, john

sow day  
words fell

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:34 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Bidding on a fork

Randy parrot  
Hurricane Urim  
Cobra-Zen flirtation  
Marshmallow Pass  
Toggle compounding  
Mouth by leaking  
The ground beef code

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 4:06 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Kitchen w/ Dinah

Q: What brand has a cow to play?

A: Station in each mouth.

Q: Words have been swords?

A: Verbs and guts on the ground.

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 4:07 PM (7 days ago)

to John, me

Key yokel

towards dwell

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 4:12 PM (7 days ago)

to me, John

Pudding on a torque

Candy Garrote hearts

Candy Cane Geller

Bra-zen serpent filter

Marshalltown, IA

Full court pass

Impound Boggle

Mouth by breaking

Grief-sounding mode

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 5:40 PM (7 days ago)

to John, john

They say the DOW

Fell on its own sword

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 5:47 PM (7 days ago)

to John, John

Snitching with Dora

Milk cow double  
Play ploughshares  
To glory boots  
In a roundabout

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 5:57 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Bitchin Senora

Moo endow bauble  
Ploy dough shears  
To pinstripe cahoots  
Win a square nearness

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 7:17 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Hitchhiker & Fedora

My elbow bubbles.  
The toy snake sloughs its ears.  
The striped pen John Cage new boots and panties.  
Within a square inch of emptiness.

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 7:24 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Hiawatha & Splenda

My hedgerow, bubbly,  
Happy snake ditch tears  
Happy hen bonbon enrage bestows

Entreaties.

Whiff hen a quired cinch of.

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 7:44 PM (7 days ago)

to John

A Spatula

For Pocahontas & Neil Young

Mythological hedge

Fund buddy mister

Gas buddy happier

Hopping Jack of

Ear hair and chin

Itch poems before

Dinner and poems

With dinner and

After dinner poems

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 1:25 AM (6 days ago)

to John, John

Highway of Splendors

Of splintered doors and

Bubbling sap sapient

Snacks / fried Serpent

On a Sesame Seed bun

John Crouse

Sun, May 10, 9:00 AM (6 days ago)

to me

A Man-child

Score Shunting & Plunge

Metamucil badge

Fundamental body sister

Glass body snappier  
Jackrabbit of Iroquois  
Michelin combs tore  
Winner and combs  
Whiff winner and  
After winner combs

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:31 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

bent trouble sacks o'  
fake soap 'n pee

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 1:47 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Vote Independent

Spent double on that  
Rack of Lamb -- and  
Never got the chance  
To eat it.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 2:04 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Crucifix of Ham

Man, I'm an island  
But, I didn't get my meat

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 2:16 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

clam troubled mote

dance gland stumbled

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 11:29 PM (6 days ago)

to John, John

umbrella

lotes of miyvk

lotes of mouble

a mouth on the hand

is worth two on the foot

lotes of gancing dand

bleeding ymver & umber

John Crouse

Sun, May 10, 11:49 PM (6 days ago)

to me, John

Readymade

Lots of ink

Motes than bauble

A kisser in candyland

His mirth woo kaput

Boats of marching band

Dinghy rover right under

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 12:13 AM (5 days ago)

to John, John

Aided

It's a plot. That's

Why it stinks.

Moses kissed

The monster

In Babylon,

Babylon, Moses

Kiss e Monster  
In Babylon, and  
The walls come  
Tumbling down.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:26 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

candy landmine

dingy lovers right  
under your nose.  
moat goats  
in a marching  
mote.  
a poem should  
hissing net  
worthless thee  
3-moon  
catapult.  
like a rubber  
band in a  
rubble hand.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 8:49 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Randy Hangtime

dingo shovers blight  
plunder tour toes.  
gloat moot  
overarching  
stoat.  
a pomade hood  
kissing regret  
worthy knee  
5G  
catamaran.

spike a blubber  
grand in a  
ruby's plan.

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:10 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

luz chingada  
sand piss  
lotta mist

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:13 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Hand me that dime

Bingo.  
We shovel the Light  
Into  
Our collective Nose.  
boat boot  
beaver baiting  
                  bloat.  
A poem is made of  
Wood, missing  
an egret. We regret  
5G coat of yams  
Harmlessly  
                  Saran wrap.  
Spoken like the  
Rubbergrand Piano  
where Ruby  
hid his pistol.

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:16 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

slam the keys  
long fall sally

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 6:39 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Nothing but time

Binge  
nooses delight  
Shinto  
Your reflective prose.  
toad toot  
cleaver treacle  
Treachy. Shin splinters  
Wordy to Charmingly ticker  
Tape, kissing to  
Forget rubberhand  
Bento.

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:37 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

No-Time

Hinge gnosis pinto.  
Lightning prose  
Hour. Who said it  
Was going to be  
Greasy like a spoon?  
Charm-schools of  
The Tapeworms.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:21 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Like the present

binge halitosis pinata  
enlightening sucrose  
power woo staid wit  
saw googling toboggan  
easy mica saloon  
harm stools love  
the rape words

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 4:00 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Last Monday

suckle systemic  
pianos. to bog  
or not  
Tucumcari. the  
moon-farm.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 7:27 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Thirst One Day

Colonic buckle  
God ought sopapilla  
Tom crow  
Blah ipecac tuck  
Marfans namaste

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:14 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Thin He Other

Colonize the bucket list.

Bought the sod.  
So much for the pillow.  
Where do we go from here?  
Latching zipped peacock food truck.  
The Martians have never been fans.  
Name that waste.

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:16 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

Tine Knee Otter

Colonizers mopping mist, grotto scrod  
slush mellow. Hair blows in frontier?  
Parching whipped stopcock mood ruck.  
Marshals Tryptophan. Claim that taste.

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:32 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

motto in whipped cream:  
no lucky hat, no waste.

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 8:03 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

blotto sin shipped dream  
blow hunky flat, blow haste

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:24 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

Can I borrow your  
Shinbone  
Wood chips

Dreamtigers  
Hollow meniscus  
Hockey puck  
Hat, and the ring  
You threw it in

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:48 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Canned wheelbarrow  
Woodbine  
Tin tips  
Creamcats  
Tallow mini cuss  
Latchkey pluck  
That and the sting  
You screw wanton

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 7:49 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Ban the Wheelbarrow

woody knoll? skin  
slippage. dreaming  
a cream of carrots.  
yellowed minuscules.  
patched llucky keys.  
sat down on the sand  
like a flatted fifth. whew.  
north of Scranton.

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 1:05 PM (19 hours ago)  
to me, John

Wheelie Nab

Cockerell yin  
Equippage dram  
Stream chariots  
Shallowed minibike  
Cashed ducky speeds  
Hat grown by hand  
The sacred cow renew  
Mirth of cranium ton

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 10:11 AM (22 hours ago)  
to John, John

seal the cab fare

the cost of rebel Yeltsin zen  
espionageless drama queen delta  
i dream of Charlie don't  
surf and other assorted ageless  
nightmares green man replaced  
by orange man pennies on  
their eyes

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 6:24 PM (13 hours ago)  
to me, John

Hail to the belief

Boast Jezebel shazam  
Espy psycho king rivulet  
Cream of girly donut  
Smurf brother escort jellies  
Nomenclature inhuman carapace  
Orangutan candy henna surprise

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 7:59 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

a toast to Jesus in bellbottoms  
beside the san francisco peaks  
spirits are your sidekicks  
a dream of whirling doubts  
Murphy's lawn chair / in the  
court of Jellied Fish / no  
mentation enraptured the  
humus in their carport

--O rant glue tandem  
for a handy minute

fossil hunt

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 1:05 AM (4 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

fire road dirt  
break dirt break  
dirt break road  
road fire fire

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 9:14 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

cold mire  
wire leak

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:06 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

moldy tires  
speaking fire

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:50 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

mired gold  
wired cheeks

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 7:56 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

folds of fire  
& spiral peaks

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:59 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

moldy tire  
nor fire speaks

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 8:05 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

boldly through the mire  
barbed wire on the beak

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:16 PM (4 days ago)  
to me

fire truck erode  
coffee bear chert  
flirt breakfast goad  
rodeo pyre squire

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:16 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

mold friar  
shire teak

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 6:49 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

fold my ears  
the entire shriek

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 6:52 PM (4 days ago)  
to John

four trick mode  
coffin bare shirt  
dirt basement goal  
video pore choir

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 7:56 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

Colossal crawdaddy

Cowl yam cheers  
Chic whole felt

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 8:01 PM (4 days ago)  
to me

For flick, code coughing. Forecastle hair quirt.  
Filbert abasement mole, invidious porridge geyser.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:50 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Coil, sail, crawl, addle

Cow, yam, I am here.  
Melts like chicken soul.

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:09 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

Paddle crawler sailor coiled

Whack yardarm, to be clear.  
Super welts clicking whole

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:30 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

puddle shack copper  
hopping melted  
yardstick  
crawling through  
the thicket  
to the baker  
soul Lear boiling  
the eye of a newt  
cataracts & hurricanoes  
but that's another story  
or maybe two  
or three

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 7:58 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

3 or 2  
gory brother hats scuttle  
canoes & tesseracts  
tune eye duh  
oiling shear coal  
rabies claw ought  
thickset slaw  
brew awls  
sticky  
belted poppingp  
rep hack muddle

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:15 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

Sticky Belted

A three's  
as good as a two  
to a dead mule deer

storied shoes  
tune up  
oil change

popular  
in middle school  
in the middle ages

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:45 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Hickey melt

Tree's mood  
Hood lass dew  
Instead fuel beer

Tried blues  
Toon cup  
Toil hinge

Poplar  
Fiddling fool  
In the fiddle ages

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 7:45 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Sticky Felt

meals ready to eat no  
food for a tree, food  
glass anew, inside  
the bear are a few  
small eels. briars on  
Tuesday, tupperware,  
coonskin hat, for whom  
the hinges boil. buried  
in Idaho, who knew?

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 12:58 PM (19 hours ago)  
to me, John

Sheltie Melt

Squeals entreaty fit  
For a king, crude-  
Ass purview, deride  
The besmear flu  
Tar heels. Choir on  
Rain delay, peppercorn,  
Raisin cat, tomb  
The Ganges roil bleary  
Spud you grew

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 10:07 AM (22 hours ago)  
to John, John

knot the bird flew

peeling real estate quit  
on the healing thorn  
faster pussycat the sand  
is running out the Rio  
Grande runs right  
through the library  
which way to Reno  
straight ahead as  
the double bird flew

John Crouse

Fri, May 15, 6:19 PM (14 hours ago)  
to me, John

Flotsam newel

Eel rill tater quilt  
Stealing-borne  
Bustier sisyphean  
Putting on Ritz  
Brand urn delight  
Blew the luminary  
Made hay then kino  
Spare arrowhead  
Rubble words who knew

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 8:04 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

Floating Sam A New Eel

Sam will bait or quit, or  
switch. Stealing home  
made bruising cysts &

hyphen. Sam putting  
green, Sam split ends.  
Random u-turns, de-  
pending on the light.  
Sam flew the loom,  
Sam Sam. Wet hay &  
wino, space-marrow,  
bubble worlds renew.

### Invasive Weeds Poem

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 5:40 PM (3 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

buffelgrass salt  
cedar whitetop  
hoary cress Russian  
olive camelthorn  
Siberian elm perennial  
pepperweed leafy  
spurge Dalmatian  
toadflax starthistles  
musk thistles bull  
thistles spotted  
& diffuse knapweeds

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 7:19 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, john

withered malt slot  
dusty chest door  
drive helm slapper  
urge load whistle

sots and knees

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 7:43 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

epistle of the lost and the free

smothered in chalk got  
a lot of dust  
y cheese on his vest  
got a lot of  
doors in his eyes got no  
help from his ladder  
got courage to spare got  
loads of good air

John Bennett  
Thu, May 14, 8:27 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, john

talk's crust slot  
rage and sneeze  
yelp across the toads

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 12:09 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, me

Spock's lust about  
Sledge and release  
Whelp gloss the erodes

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:19 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, john

stalking the rusty glut  
pages on their knees  
help me load

this crossroads

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:22 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

Nematode, the.

sprockets crust and snout  
the sledgehammers  
among the peas green peas.

kelp-loss he, a la mode.

John Crouse

Fri, May 15, 1:34 PM (18 hours ago)

to me, John

Hocking the trusty mutt  
Phalanges hover screeds  
Kelp the commode  
Hiss dross decodes

John Crouse

Fri, May 15, 1:38 PM (18 hours ago)

to me, John

Diode Dee

Clocking in at pie and bin  
Palm readers in wedges  
Aqualung green giant

Ring toss filigree alone

John Bennett

Fri, May 15, 3:14 PM (17 hours ago)

to John, me

pee in sock  
pin the block  
dream a pie  
chug yr hedge

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:09 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

seeping sea  
the,  
pine flock,  
pining clock.  
beaming eye  
luggage chew.

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:12 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

The Deep Dionysus

Socking in ate brie and pine  
nuts balmy breeders hedge

Acquainted with the green  
lung, at a glance, ring-

tailed Frisbee to the bone

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:15 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

Hiking With Pharoah Sanders

keep missive missing the  
glove clove the crossroadsbones  
creed & code of bees

Drifting off to sleep poem

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 6:07 AM (6 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Ordering Off-Menu

I'll have the Name-drop Soup  
2 egg-roles  
a plait of Chinese spaghetti  
and Jarry's toothpick

John Crouse

Sun, May 10, 12:14 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, JOHN

Disorder off-grid

Priceless Bean w/ Bacon  
Over-easy Warhol wet market  
Compliance Hitchcock glosses

John Bennett

Sun, May 10, 12:40 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

same yetti leg  
eat loose lids  
dark coff shoulder

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 1:40 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Fortune Cookie

Eat the goose, shit golden eggs.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 1:48 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Gold Goose

Eat the fortune, shit golden cookies.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 2:14 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

eat shit, roll the footsies

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:40 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

what the fu  
ck is a toot  
sie role roll

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:43 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Sold Loose

Eat a forklift,  
Shit novel corona.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:51 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Constantinople  
Constantly staying  
Purple

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 11:46 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Catfood

It was a maple  
tree, didn't I  
tell you, sway  
ing to the burp

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 11:58 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Hatchback

Was Betty Grable's  
Knee, I tell you, naysay  
Ing blew the chirp

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:59 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Graywacke

Look at Ava Gardner. We  
Didn't care then and we  
    Don't care  
    Now.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 1:54 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Greyscale, Every Page

Book of Bette Davis

2 day  
+ 2 tomorrow

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4 ever

Whether we care or not.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 2:00 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Greyhound bus

It looks pretty good.

Better than ever.

Probably run forever.

Probably so.

I think so. Me too.

Looking pretty good.

Jim Leftwich

Mon, May 11, 4:31 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, JOHN

Disorder In The Film Class

Princess Being waking  
To overt easel grease  
Wars / holier than  
Sweat (but not by much)  
(how much is not much?)  
To holy marshland  
Parakeet kettledrum  
Singing the bodhisattva  
Electric / take me by  
The hand / at the corner

Of pliers and trance / how  
Far to Sedona riding the  
Telepathy Railroad? / it  
Is always later than we think

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:07 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

shark blood thing  
after jerk scare

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:49 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Nark Rood Thang: "after school special"

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:13 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

after pool weasel: "Park God Drain"

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:55 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Illiad Odd

parking lode hinge  
barking load hinge  
talking toad knife  
parking knife load

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 7:08 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Space oddity

King ode ginger  
King code finger  
King towed fife  
Kingman load

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:50 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Toad Yodel

Snow  
Feef  
Linger on  
Pale  
Ginger ale

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:23 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

total load

aglow  
fief  
trigger wan  
kale  
linger tail

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 3:54 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

glowworms & toadstools

furlough  
sheaf

wiggling  
tannins  
fire sale  
longer  
tails

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 7:20 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Humpyback camels

Curlew  
Feels  
Giggling  
Stains  
Salsa offer  
Renegue  
Slit

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:42 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

It

Keels  
curfew  
satin  
gigabyte  
Salted coffers  
lilting Silt  
Renegade glade, &  
glad to have  
It

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:01 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

It keels it curfew, staining bigger hype malted  
tougher lightning suit. Grenade bade chad lava lit.

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:23 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

straining the curve flew peels  
tough salt and ripe baggage  
blade-green fade  
blood-green clade  
vernacular mindsuite lightning

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 7:52 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

feels few, swerve the ingratiating  
cabbage pipe, brand slit gruff  
trade peen, shade  
clad team, rood  
moonlighting hirsute, spectacular

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:09 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

feeding garbage to the  
plaid lad, bad. stuff  
the faded moon with  
lightning. slit the shade.

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:40 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Freebasing barge  
Scads inlaid glad gruff  
Hated spoon listening

Lilt brocade

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 7:41 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

Isn't Free

Freedom is the  
on-base percentage  
plus large intestine  
of cadets inland,  
sad to have to  
huff it. hats and  
spoons glisten as  
they wilt, this is  
your blockade.

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 9:43 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

bastions of freedom

large baseless freedoms  
tough ladles  
Aladdin cads & codgers  
winged stencils  
nuptial salts abated  
decals tilling tilt

John Crouse

Fri, May 15, 6:06 PM (14 hours ago)

to me, John

Fiefdom bastards

Barge braless freebird  
Cuffed cuddles  
Called-in cadre-scads

Tinged prehensile  
Tidal faults seabed  
Eagles killing kilt

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:19 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

free-form buzzards

car grub airless freek shew  
muffled custards / Allicin  
cuddle squads / squid,  
squid and muffled custards

small poems in large worlds

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 8:11 AM (4 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

a thin poem

this is less  
than what  
it is? why  
should I  
believe that?

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 11:43 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

poem a thin

that believe  
should I  
why? is it  
what than

less is this?

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:30 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

poem again

believe it  
more or less

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 1:02 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Believe in something?  
Write a poem about it.  
Then write a poem  
About belief.  
Put them in a blender.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 11:23 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

poem-thinner

that should why  
what less believe  
I is than  
this it.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 11:26 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

poem-grain

gain a leaf  
torn or tests

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 9:38 AM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

fael ti  
nort ro  
siht si

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:39 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, me

felt tipi  
  
port core shift so

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 2:06 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

a failure to northern  
roast those sifters  
by sight or insight

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 2:07 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

felt like a toe pie  
a court pore  
sniffing soap

John Bennett  
Wed, May 13, 3:08 PM (3 days ago)

to me, John

left hurt eye  
short door  
slips

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 4:21 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

felt-tipped pen, pin.  
felt pricked, pin. pen.

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 8:17 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, me

heft lurk pie  
cohort rude  
lisps

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:35 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

Left perk eye.  
Eye,  
Perking eye.  
Perking.  
Left perk eye.

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 12:06 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Weft shark nigh.  
Nigh,  
Sharking nigh.  
Sharking.

Weft shark nigh.

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 2:17 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:42 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Neft the harking wigh!  
Wigh,  
harking wigh?  
Harking hark.  
Neft the harking wigh!

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 4:38 PM (15 hours ago)  
to me, John

Heft heard on high  
Idle of white  
Marking time  
Parking brake  
Weft embarking tonight

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 5:25 PM (15 hours ago)  
to me, John

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:22 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

left of beard and hat.  
places his hat on his left thigh.

what an idea! most of the  
time hill-holder, left of  
the colorado river, some  
rocks, a lizard, lots of  
pollen.

vision, year

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:29 PM (5 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

2020

onth  
road

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:09 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, john

ought two

unde  
root

On Mon, May 11, 2020 at 12:30 PM Jim Leftwich wrote:  
2020

onth  
road

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:18 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, john

bought one

At  
the book  
store

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 9:17 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

clock bore  
clock snore  
clock sat  
clock door

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:10 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

lock ore  
lack nor  
click hat  
sock floor

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:53 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, me

schlock galore  
strawberry moor  
chalk spat  
loch oar

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 11:55 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

lo ck or e

la ck no r  
cl ic kh at  
so ck fl oo r

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:31 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

schore  
stroor  
chaat  
looar

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 8:39 AM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

cork clock  
snafu bore  
boson snore  
locker room  
rocking horse  
snorkel clock  
cauliflower sat  
haberdashery clock  
chalkboard door  
sortilege door

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 7:40 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

cook shook  
corfu chore  
bison roar  
mawkish zoom  
choking course  
nickel hawk  
california hairnet  
dashboard door

sacrilege door

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 8:55 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

cooook

corore

biar

mawoom

chorse

nickwk

calet

dasoor

sacoor

John Crouse

Thu, May 14, 10:31 AM (2 days ago)

to me, John

Raccoon dasher valet nitwit chores womb bear corrode kook

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 7:31 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

rats noon mashed

potato violet knack

watts chromatic

tombstones near

corrosive bookmark

John Crouse

Thu, May 14, 10:41 PM (2 days ago)

to me, John

Congrats brigadoon ashtray

Tattoo viola racetrack

Aromatic waste

Rhinestones queer  
Ablative boogie man

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:54 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

coin gratis natural bridges soon  
ash meadows traded away the  
tattered zoo violence against a  
playa armed grocery shopping  
wasteland of the free Rhone  
stoma choir buoys Albigensian

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 5:33 PM (14 hours ago)  
to me, John

Rigor mortise free wheel  
Platoon pasture barter  
Lubes violins zoots patters  
Layoff bratwurst bullets  
Chaste phone freedom dove  
Tomahawk hair toys gentian

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:24 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

part.

it's a rigged game. more Tuesday the  
size of my eyes. the past is not manure,  
it isn't even past. part of what matters.  
part.

fleetflooted

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 11:55 PM (8 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

question air

dog cereal murmuring  
the curse of the real  
coming in on a wing &  
a logjam of prayers  
how many rare earths  
are there beyond  
box springs & a comb

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 9:08 AM (7 days ago)  
to me, john

dog  
curse  
in  
prayers  
rare  
beyond  
box

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 9:40 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Worse fog in years  
Past coffin arrears  
Purse of the seal  
Toe jam scares mirth  
Lox wings & a tomb

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:47 PM (7 days ago)

to John, John

clogged dirt in  
layers, barely  
sound and vox

John Crouse

Sat, May 9, 1:55 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

boggled flirt shin  
slayers, squarely  
hound and detox

Jim Leftwich

Sat, May 9, 2:07 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

A Surge Of Peels

foist waggle on ears on  
dance in posttailfin  
arias, a surge of peels

John Bennett

Sat, May 9, 2:42 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

feel shears  
most pants

John Bennett

Sat, May 9, 2:43 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

i mean:

feel shears  
moist pants

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:08 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

sockfooted

flog the shine  
flay the choir  
    flounder  
in your socks

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 3:59 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Hashmarked

Teal endears  
Jouissance toggle  
Mostly pants expounder  
Ticktocks & ham hocks.

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 5:08 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

cloak of flinty stone

dealer's juice at a glance  
ensmears boondoggle  
ghostly fire ants  
transponder flintlocks  
hammering clocks

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 5:39 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Toke of minty bone

Wheelers steal prism  
Tweezers hornswoggle  
Donny Most expiry pants  
Trendsetter muzzleloader  
Stammering chauks

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 6:45 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Soaking in bitumen, alone

.m -----, in Wheeling West  
Virginia not really, pristine  
Sealant. Texans are not  
Born to Wiggle. Whiffle  
Ball as a kid, in the barn  
Yard with my cousin. Does  
Everyone have an auto  
Biography? What is the  
Expiration date on your  
Caulk? Because the night.

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 1:12 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

joust & wobble

seak of end  
game appears  
glancing seal  
& houstboggle

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 8:52 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Proust shambles

Steak pretend  
Shame uppers  
Enhancing kneel  
& fussbudget

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:32 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

leak and peel  
jiggle and crowd  
name your floor

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 1:58 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Wave That Flag

At the peak  
of the real  
we are  
wiggling  
the loud flame

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 2:07 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Kingman's Where (Hearts Afire!)

To wave it -- Hold it aloft (the face will do the rest) --  
The hayseed breeze Constant & Coveted.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 2:17 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

name cheek cloud  
seize the farting game

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 11:36 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Hangman, Hangman, Wait A Little While

See the gravy, hold the gravy.  
Gravity & Grace. Greasewood.

Zestful, sneezing  
Cover Letter.

Subletteral, with consonants.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 11:53 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Ramen in swale

Feed the baby, dont say maybe  
Space cadet packer wood.

Lustful breezes  
Butter-getter

Subcutaneous wife cosmonauts

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:55 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Rotting in a Whale

Feed the birds the  
Bodies to the babies.

Spice-casting. Their  
Donuts are paid for  
By your wageslavery.  
The dough gnuts of  
The birds. Conference  
Of the Babies. Alfred  
Hitchcock. Deep  
Leaping Image Poetry.

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 8:37 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Grotto Swale

Tweed the words the  
Adobes to the Scabies.  
Peace-asking. Hair  
Don't wear escalate pour  
Sty poor cage waverry.  
Endow guts dove  
Towards. Interface  
Glove duh rabies. Misfired  
Flintlock. Weep  
Keeping magic Notary.

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:08 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

lazy maze concatenation  
pale fleece gusts

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 12:52 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

Gravy train  
Carrie Nation  
Gunwale grebes adjust.

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 1:14 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

wavered chain  
lady's section  
scum thieves' crust

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:58 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Seven-Layer Cake

Housewares  
Domestics  
Fabric  
Furniture  
Toys  
Hardware  
Sporting Goods

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 7:16 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Elbows off fable

House fire  
Domestic abuse  
Corny fabrications  
Urns  
Sex toys  
Stolen hardware  
No sporting chance

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 11:11 PM (5 days ago)

to John, John

Table Lake

Elbow lingg rease  
Mousetrap  
Moussaka  
Sinestire  
Dimestore  
reFuse box

John Crouse

Tue, May 12, 11:50 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Treble Creek

macaroni lingam cease  
mousse rap  
mouse saki  
tiered sinus  
nickelodeon  
amnesty hawk

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 9:29 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

marsh arrow lineated game  
ball / peas in a suitcase  
/ rustic nap / crouching  
snack, tire iron minus  
minus

John Crouse

Wed, May 13, 12:53 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

harsh hawk

arrowhead linseed oil

robin eggs in dice cup

/ gnostic sap / puddling

shellac ironing board

locus

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 3:15 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

When I see the black

hawk gliding along

the rim of the canyon

I think of Miles Davis

recorded live circa

1960 at a little club

in San Francisco...

Walkin', So What,

and Bye Bye Blackbird

John Crouse

Wed, May 13, 7:45 PM (3 days ago)

to me, John

Twin city alack

the gliding hawk

the canyon along

the canyon

the miles

cerbat chortle revive

1800 a flub

in chico

catkin know what?

hello, hello, there

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 9:00 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

Miles Alack Canyon

Twine the the the the  
Dingbat 18  
In Katmandu  
Hello, city  
Gliding along  
On the Reverie Shuttle

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:36 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Shack aisles bunion

Spline the cubed  
Wing nut ate teen  
Fu Manchu  
Cello, pretty  
Sliding wrong  
Upon silvery surfboard

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 7:35 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

The Naked Isle of Onions

spume the cribbage rib  
cage spooners fang slut  
waiting for his beans,  
a new toe manicure:

Celery, petite.

from the sliding board to  
the bong a slippery slope

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:51 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Finked rile

Assume ribcage  
Manchurian noon spangled glut  
Sweet leaf betweens  
A teetotaller

Belfry gleet

Thrum the cherry cherry saddle horn  
Sprung a skippers skippers nope

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:57 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Inking Mile

a summer rub page  
munching on the  
moon  
the pangloss moon abuts

sweeping up beliefs  
between the tree  
trunks  
trunks frying bells in sleet

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 5:38 PM (14 hours ago)  
to me, John

Crock O Dial

A summer ribcage flub  
Duncing brigadoon  
Lost-panda-spoon-whats

Bringing sheep  
Tweedle D

Broncs  
Lunks spying balls in teeth

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:31 PM (11 hours ago)  
to John, John

Flock of Mackerel

One summer while rubbing age grub, Muncie Sing  
rigged a spoon ghost pondering spoon hats (his  
wings were as deep as his sheep), tweezers them  
to death, one summer with the Denver Broncos,  
look him between the eyes and smile with all your  
teeth.

Sundawn

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 8, 10:58 PM (8 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

unwinds

the bleached white spine  
of a large animal long  
dead hanging from a limb  
in a Ponderosa pine. the  
sun going down slowly  
in a song. once climbed  
from the canyon like wind.

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 9:07 AM (7 days ago)  
to me, john

bleached  
large  
hanging

ponderosa  
going  
song  
canyon wind

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 9:37 AM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

Supine leech

Barge dong curvature  
Hoss and Little Joe clanging  
Clock spring hop sing limber lost  
Mounting windy enema  
Beached solar anus

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:27 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

is not a rose

peachbarge  
clanging  
like two ponds  
on a rose

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 1:29 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Supper at the beach

Pronghorn cattle  
shopping cinema

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:51 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Tupperware & Teach

Bong-shorn  
shitting enamel

John Crouse  
Sat, May 9, 1:53 PM (7 days ago)  
to me, John

Rose Isn't

Larchbear  
mustanging  
kelp bail bonds  
onus are nose

John Bennett  
Sat, May 9, 2:45 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, me

noise felt  
mail rope

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:23 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

Tennis Shoe With Fossil

Songborne  
Hittite & camel

Jim Leftwich  
Sat, May 9, 3:25 PM (7 days ago)  
to John, John

NFMR

roise melt  
fail nope

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 12:59 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Munching Hand

Marching band  
Fantasy of lions  
Ganglion musks  
Help for failing bones  
Poems faint balm for  
Pallet-jack foot  
Bonus rarely so close

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 3:16 AM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Bunching Wand

Overarching bandaid  
Fricassee of prions  
Anglican tusks  
Kelp for flailing scones  
Moans paint alms ichor  
Wallet hack toot  
Bozos cherry suppose

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 5:17 AM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Punching Sand

Aacrunchung bag  
Hunch is scrunch

As far as I can see  
With wide-eyed onions

.I. uiuu ..& I.

Canned angels  
Are a mustard.

Ballet-packer suit.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 12:10 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Inching Pun

Wang Chung ditty bag  
Lon Chaney is dead

Tar in the eye, antsy  
Crybaby width bunions

Lust for Lulu &

Channel cats, angle yr iron canard,  
Share a bluster

Green Bay Arabesques.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 12:38 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

gland sag withers  
dead jar fog  
crunched foot dust

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 1:44 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

### Psychosomatic Body Count

I can't stand winter.  
Winter is in your head.  
Crunch forward,  
Towards the frozen dust.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 1:52 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

### Body Bags For Sandwiches

Losing is for winners.  
Isn't bobsled munched  
Onward had a hunch?  
Cowards peeing rust.

John Bennett  
Sun, May 10, 2:15 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, me

spreading lint bag  
just lunch splintered

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:46 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

thunderstorm

reading plinth  
ragged dust  
quarantine  
with a wrench

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 9:51 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Baggage, The Witch

Signage is for sinners.  
Bobble much Westward shad.  
Spinning, in the  
Shade, a Shadow of  
His normal self.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:53 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Blunderbuss

Breaded pink drugged bust libertine kvetch

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 9:57 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Borgnine, The Dish

Winners is for signals  
As bobwhite is for worldwide web.  
Last shade, last shadow, last normal.

Jim Leftwich  
Sun, May 10, 11:37 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

Winks like a beard  
Hugs like a gust

Jim Leftwich

Sun, May 10, 11:40 PM (6 days ago)  
to John, John

First beginning, best beginning.

John Crouse  
Sun, May 10, 11:55 PM (6 days ago)  
to me, John

Hijinks appears  
Gusts like hugs

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 12:16 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

The Highbrow Jinx

Chain-linked pairs  
Of rusting bugs

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 1:57 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Cornrow Gin

Rain-soaked eclairs  
Trustworthy glugs

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 2:04 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Slippery wind wet

Never should have put  
that chair  
on

those stairs

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 8:54 AM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Silvery grind jet

Never-never shot put  
hat care  
conned  
rose compares

John Bennett  
Mon, May 11, 9:11 AM (5 days ago)  
to John, me

find clot  
find chairs  
find burgers

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:29 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

fine glot  
fine cpairs  
fine dnngens

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 1:33 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Very rind, yet

Fever lever  
Hot guts  
Rabbit snare  
Conic section

Rosin  
Comet suction  
Recombinant parity

John Crouse  
Mon, May 11, 6:45 PM (5 days ago)  
to me, John

Verily spined

Leaver right there  
Pot locks  
Habit tare  
Bubonic diction  
Cozy  
Vomit function  
Recommended purity

Jim Leftwich  
Mon, May 11, 10:47 PM (5 days ago)  
to John, John

Spinning, like a verb

Meat cleaver hair.  
Haircut. Potable  
Clock. Barely my  
Rarebit trombone  
Tutorial. Dictionary,  
Cosigner. 31 of 42.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 12:26 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Winning reverb

eat leavened air  
chariot pot roast  
clog rarely cry

gambit oboe  
authorial actuary  
cozen 13 for 24

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 3:50 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

Revert to Innings

Eat a dozen chariots,  
Haricots & haircuts.  
A bean sounds good.

John Crouse  
Tue, May 12, 7:15 PM (4 days ago)  
to me, John

Sweet meat thaw bulldozer harlots,  
Harpsichords and hepcats.  
A weenie unshod.

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 9:37 PM (4 days ago)  
to John, John

meat chord  
thaws catkin

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 12:56 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

largest organ music  
freezes feline relative

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:19 PM (3 days ago)

to John, John

forest organpipe muscle  
seizes ordinary mind

John Crouse

Wed, May 13, 7:49 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

gristle extraordinary grind  
pleases cactus chorus

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 9:02 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

grist grease  
extraterrestrial cactus  
ocotillo mind  
chordal signs

John Crouse

Thu, May 14, 10:38 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Wist ease  
Territorial nexus patty cake  
Cotillion grind  
Primordial tines

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 7:38 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Western Grease

with eastgist  
taxonomical  
solar plexus power

add putty, bake.

Carillons of the mind; prime  
time, morphic resonance,  
find the wine and spill it.

John Crouse

Thu, May 14, 10:56 PM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Chest of squeeze

W/ egoist  
& taxman  
Polar cheques glower  
Squalid nutty shake

Carpel purr billions hangtime  
Microphone phonics consonance  
Unwind the wine and swill it

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 9:00 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Christ of Square Sneezers

Whose egg goes first?  
Whose egg goes first.

Toxic manna, sand.

A polar bear  
in a flannel shirt  
showering  
with square aphids,  
what a story!

You just can't shake  
these nuts.

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 5:47 PM (14 hours ago)  
to me, John

Price of shearing scissors

Whose on first  
And east is east  
Is always best

Non-stick mama-span

A killdeer  
A fennel deflower  
Round holes  
Cattchetorie

But can you fake them?

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:37 PM (11 hours ago)  
to John, John

The Spice of Peering

Rose the sea bone thirst.  
yeast is creased, and the  
west is always west. Once

knew a guy named West.  
Noun pickled ham in a  
pan. a dill here, a kennel  
there, pretty soon you're

flowered to death. Flour.  
I once knew a guy named  
Death. Death Pound. He

built a fire on Tenth Street  
and shot it full of holes.

No way.  
You can't make this shit up.

handheld

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 1:15 AM (4 days ago)  
to john, JOHN

library books

cumulus mnemonic  
Ponderosa storage  
raining mnemonic  
cone storage  
camera mnemonic

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 9:13 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

mucus mined  
floor bones  
pond stammer

Jim Leftwich  
Tue, May 12, 10:05 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

music mind  
door or tone  
wandering  
with a hammer

John Bennett  
Tue, May 12, 10:50 AM (4 days ago)

to me, john

fine snore  
laundry ham  
stone gland

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 7:55 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

wine score  
foundry yam  
tonic glance

John Bennett

Tue, May 12, 10:59 AM (4 days ago)  
to me, john

door whine  
slam gland  
ionic pants

Jim Leftwich

Tue, May 12, 8:04 AM (4 days ago)  
to John, john

wind through a door  
a lamp in the hand

a lamp in the hand  
is worth two icons

among the ants

Jim Leftwich

Wed, May 13, 8:33 AM (3 days ago)  
to John, john

diner door

gladiators whine  
widening slam  
slumming gland  
landlocked ionic  
geranium pants  
ironing board  
pantsuit

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 1:34 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

bull roar  
gladiola rhyme  
sickening gram  
plumbing brigand

Land looked ironic, gymnasium askance. Eros  
prion accord ants soothe.

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 3:42 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

built ladders  
slick as a  
thumb  
glandramp  
timeless oar

handgymprism  
booknasium chord  
iroskanceants  
erose

John Crouse  
Wed, May 13, 8:14 PM (3 days ago)  
to me, John

rilled adders

tick as a  
dumb  
loading ramp  
gland drama  
gormless car

hangdog prism  
nausea tome lord  
miscreants  
error

Jim Leftwich  
Wed, May 13, 9:32 PM (3 days ago)  
to John, John

Ladder as a stamp dharma carp.

John Crouse  
Thu, May 14, 10:54 AM (2 days ago)  
to me, John

Chatter pharma cramp lark

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 8:14 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

Batter-up harmless harmolodic pajama ramp hearkens stark.

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 9:44 PM (2 days ago)  
to John, John

cat holes phantom marching  
band camping amperes spark

Jim Leftwich  
Thu, May 14, 9:48 PM (2 days ago)

to John, John

full pareidolia  
thickening  
opposable  
    thumbs  
handtooth  
bookslant  
ironiccord  
gymnaprion  
apron-map  
askeros

John Crouse  
Fri, May 15, 6:12 PM (14 hours ago)  
to me, John

Lodgepole bantam parching  
Hand clapping camphor shark

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:17 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, John

sedge mole bunting tamper larch shin  
land napping camp fork bark, barking

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:54 PM (11 hours ago)  
to John, John

midge mote shunting lamprey torched hint  
mind snapping lamp fort park, parking,  
parking a lot

from one blue ridge to another

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:27 PM (2 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

Naked Anecdote Poem

Stopped by the Blue Ridge  
Ranger Station in the Coconino  
National Forest to check on  
closures and other constraints

John Bennett

Fri, May 15, 7:52 AM (1 day ago)  
to me, john

baked glue in fridge  
danger danger  
divest the clothes  
and paint

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 9:26 AM (23 hours ago)  
to John, john

hid the shoes in a cake  
danger from the upper room  
danger from the bottom up  
crest of desks festering guests  
aint that a lot of sunlight

John Bennett

Fri, May 15, 3:10 PM (17 hours ago)  
to me, john

bit the blue lake  
bowl banger les  
haint than gum

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 8:06 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, john

bat the blow Luke  
bawl flanger yes  
tainted & a plum

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 8:51 PM (11 hours ago)  
to John, john

fatten the snow with cukes  
shawl lounging eyes  
aint that a lotta love  
aint that some lounging snow

John Bennett

7:24 AM (1 hour ago)  
to me, john

farts low and pukes  
crawls on cringing thighs  
taste glottal glove  
taste one coughing glow

Jim Leftwich

7:44 AM (44 minutes ago)  
to John, john

facts are slow and nuclear  
their sawtooth singing lights  
waste not the tale of the stove  
the hasty bone sloughs no snow

nice hat

Jim Leftwich

Thu, May 14, 8:25 PM (2 days ago)  
to JOHN, john

"Anecdote poems aren't as popular as they used to be"

--Naked Poetry Vol 3

At the Meteor Crater rest  
Stop west of Winslow,  
Arizona a man wearing  
A Pea Island Outer Banks  
North Carolina baseball  
Cap stopped me and  
said, I have a van like  
yours. "Nice hat." we  
go there every year.

John Bennett

Fri, May 15, 7:55 AM (1 day ago)  
to me, john

vest atop the cheese  
my hand yanks the fat  
meat or fakes  
no fear but fear

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 9:27 AM (23 hours ago)  
to John, john

best case scenario  
sign atop the mountain says  
be prepared to stop

Jim Leftwich

Fri, May 15, 9:28 AM (23 hours ago)  
to John, john

don't retread on me

i'll take my stand  
on the flank  
of the vat

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 9:30 AM (22 hours ago)  
to John, john

won't get fueled again

meet the new flake  
same as the old cake

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 9:57 AM (22 hours ago)  
to John, john

red hat blues

got no file in my cake  
got no miles on my shoe  
got no injectable sunlight  
got those orange beast blues

John Bennett  
Fri, May 15, 3:11 PM (17 hours ago)  
to me, john

break my piles  
break my lunch  
break my sponge  
break my gun

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:08 PM (12 hours ago)  
to John, john

beak my poles

beak my hunch  
beak my spangle  
beak my pun

Jim Leftwich  
Fri, May 15, 8:49 PM (11 hours ago)  
to John, john

eek my soles  
eek my crunch  
eek my pansemia  
eek my sun

John Bennett  
7:22 AM (1 hour ago)  
to me, john

cheek goal  
cheek lunge  
cheek pants  
cheek gun

Jim Leftwich  
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to John, john

the meek shall inherit the molehill  
the meek shall plunge  
meek at a glance  
meek, like Attila the Hun